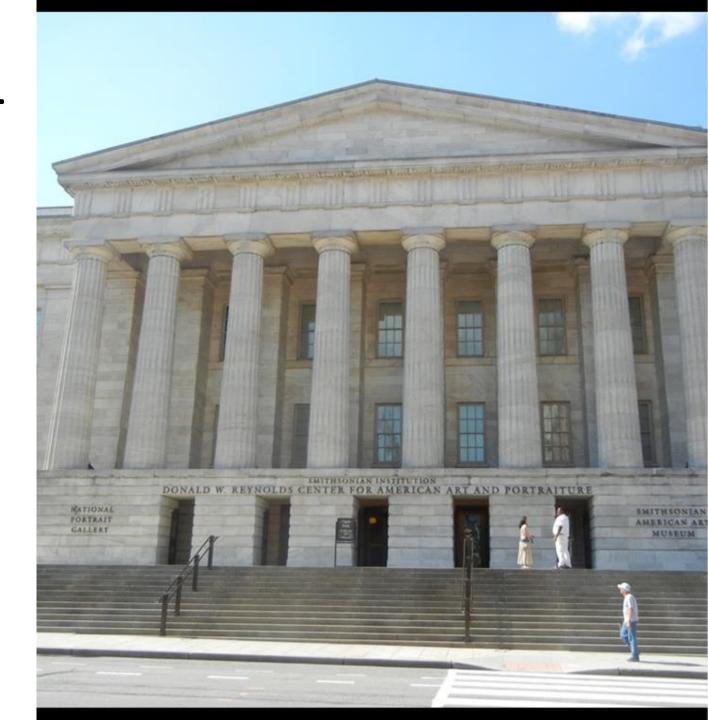




VISITING THE NATIONAL PORTRAIT GALLERY

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- The National Portrait Gallery is a big building with many pieces of art.
- Visitors can come to the museum to look at and learn about art.



#### **Arrival**

- Visitors enter the museum through revolving doors. The museum doors are heavy.
- If visitors do not want to go through the revolving doors, they can use the regular door next to it.



# Security

- There will be a security guard inside the lobby. Security guards keep the visitors and the art safe.
- Visitors can ask the security guards questions.



#### Lockers

• NPG has lockers in the lobby. Lockers hold people's belongings while they visit the museum. Visitors can choose to put items in the lockers.



# **Kogod Courtyard**

- Visitors may see a courtyard with water on the floor.
- Visitors can sit on the benches, walk around, or touch the water on the floor.
- If visitors do not want to touch the water on the floor, they can go to another part of the Kogod Courtyard or a different part of the museum.



# Seating

- The museum is a big place. Sometimes visitors need a place to rest.
- There are benches and couches in the museum where visitors may sit.



#### **Portraits**

- In the museum visitors will see many different kinds of portraits.
- A portrait shows us what a person looked like.
- A portrait can be a painting, a sculpture, a photo, or many other things.



#### Do Not Touch

- Visitors may not touch the art because it could get damaged.
- There are signs in the museum that remind visitors not to touch.
- If visitors get too close to a piece of art, an alarm might go off to let visitors know to back up.





There is so much for visitors to see at the National Portrait Gallery!

